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6 May 1958

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Minutes of Meeting Held in  
IAC Conference Room, Administration Building  
Central Intelligence Agency, at 1045, 6 May 1958

Director of Central Intelligence  
Allen W. Dulles  
Presiding

M E M B E R S   P R E S E N T

Mr. Hugh S. Cumming, Jr., Director of Intelligence and Research,  
Department of State  
Major General Robert A. Schow, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence,  
Department of the Army  
Rear Admiral Vernon L. Lowrance, acting Director of Naval  
Intelligence, Department of the Navy  
Major General James H. Walsh, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence,  
United States Air Force  
Brigadier General Richard Collins, Deputy Director for Intelligence,  
The Joint Staff  
Mr. Charles H. Reichardt, acting for Atomic Energy Commission  
representative to the IAC  
Mr. Ralph R. Roach, acting for Federal Bureau of Investigation  
representative to the IAC

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1. Change of Air Force Member

The DCI expressed the members' appreciation of the very substantial contribution of General Lewis to the work of the IAC and to US intelligence. He welcomed General Walsh as Air Force member. General Lewis thanked the members for their unreserved cooperation and expressed his confidence in the continuing progress of US intelligence.

2. House Appropriations Committee Request

The DCI stated that, during a recent House Appropriations Subcommittee hearing on the CIA budget, Mr. Cannon, the Chairman of the Subcommittee, had requested that the DCI furnish an over-all estimate of the expenditures of the US intelligence community. The DCI in reply had stated that, though he had certain coordinating responsibilities, he did not have jurisdiction over the expenditures of any of the intelligence components of the government other than CIA and that he had no direct knowledge of their expenditures. Certain computations had been made by the Bureau of the Budget but that as far as the DCI knew these had not been accepted by the agencies concerned.

The DCI stated that, in view of Mr. Cannon's insistence, some further response to him was necessary. After a discussion by the members of the differing budgetary practices of the components of the intelligence community, the DCI concluded that he would have to consider further what he should do with respect to Mr. Cannon's request. The DCI indicated that he would discuss the matter with the Budget Bureau.

3. Approval of Minutes

29 April Meeting  
(IAC-M-339)

Approved as written.

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4. Situation Review

a. Watch Committee Report  
No. 404

Noted.

b. Review of Sensitive Situations

25X1 The members briefly discussed the possibility of an Israeli attack on the UAR, and the situations in Ceylon, Lebanon, and Cyprus. They discussed at greater length late developments concerning Indonesia and the position of Communism in the Indonesian Army, Navy, and Air Force.

6. Post-Mortem and Validity  
Study for NIE 35-58  
(Memorandum to IAC, 2 May)

Noted.

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7. Memorandum from GMIC re US  
Equipment for USSR Satellite  
(IAC-D-81/14.17, 30 April)

The members noted the GMIC memorandum and agreed that, provided the Exchange Committee has no objection, the DCI should address a letter to the Secretary of the Navy (a) expressing IAC endorsement, from an intelligence viewpoint, of the provision to the USSR of a mass spectrometer to be flown in an IGY-type rocket or satellite, and (b) informing the Secretary that the IAC Critical Collection Problems Committee will monitor subsequent intelligence developments. Mr. Cumming agreed to notify the DCI of the position of the Exchange Committee.


8. DCID on Domestic Exploitation  
of Non-Governmental Organizations  
and Individuals  
(IAC-M-325, 21 January, item 3 c;  
IAC-D-105/20, 17 January;  
IAC-D-105/20.1, 28 April)

Approved as amended.

9. Revision of DCID 11/1  
(new DCID 1/6)  
(IAC-D-105/26, 29 April)

Approved as amended.

Adjournment: 1200

  
Acting Secretary

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2. The memoranda to the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Defense, approved by the IAC on 15 April, were forwarded on 2 May (IAC-M-337, item 4).

3. The letter to the Secretary of Defense, approved by the IAC on 29 April, was dispatched on 6 May (IAC-M-339, item 1 a).

4. The letter to the Deputy Secretary of Defense, prepared in accordance with IAC action on 29 April, was dispatched on 2 May (IAC-M-339, item 7).

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ALSO PRESENT

Central Intelligence Agency

Lieutenant General Charles P. Cabell  
Mr. Sherman Kent  
Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr.  
Mr. George Carey

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Mr. Edwin Ashcraft  
Mr. Gates Lloyd

25X1 [redacted]  
Department of State

Mr. Robert Thayer  
Mr. William McAfee

Department of the Army

Lieutenant Colonel Charles H. Pratt

Department of the Navy

Captain W. S. Howell

Department of the Air Force

Major General Millard Lewis  
Colonel James F. Berry  
Lieutenant Colonel Van A. Woods, Jr.  
Mr. Jack Power

The Joint Staff

Colonel J. M. Pittman, USA  
Colonel R. H. Stumpf, USA

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Mr. Meffert Kuhrtz

GMIC

Colonel Earl McFarland, Jr.